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Supervisors Approve Needs Assessment for Public Safety Operations Center

Last week, the Board of Supervisors approved an assessment to determine the future needs for a combined Public Safety Operations Center that will include dispatch centers for the Sheriff and Fire Departments as well as an Emergency Operations Center. The assessment will look at operational, functional and technical system capabilities and evaluate potential sites for suitability, space and technical requirements, and to determine a projected budget for design, construction, site and utility costs.

“San Bernardino County has suffered some of the worst disasters in our history – from the Old and Grand Prix Fires of 2003 and the Sawtooth and Millard Fires of 2006 to floods and earthquakes,” said Third District Supervisor Dennis Hansberger. “We must be certain that the first responders who protect our residents and visitors – our Sheriff and Fire Departments – have the tools they need to do their jobs.” Hansberger said.